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Amendments to the Specification

Please replace the "Summary of the Invention" as follows. This amendment will allow the Summary to mirror the allowed claims.

Page 6, lines 1-20:

The present disclosure provides for creating a finalized document relating to a transaction, such as a purchase order proforma invoice. In one aspect, a buyer selects documents associated with a proposed transaction. The buyer then indicates requirements of trade terms of an agreement relating to the documents selected. The trade terms are presented to a seller on an electronic form via an electronic document platform. The electronic form includes a combined purchase order proforma invoice, an electronic transportation document, and an electronic shipping document. The electronic shipping document includes one of an insurance certificate, an inspection certificate, a certificate of origin, an invoice/declaration, a counselor's invoice, a sanction and boycott declaration, a packing list, a weight list, a lab test report, and a beneficiary certificate. The seller can amend the trade terms on the electronic form, and a new version of the electronic form delineating the trade terms is created upon each amendment. Negotiations of the trade terms between the buyer and the seller are conducted electronically and the negotiated electronic form detailing the negotiation of the trade terms is generated and displayed electronically, also. A digital signature can be applied to the electronic form detailing the negotiation of the trade terms. A compliance check is performed and is triggered automatically in response to the digital signature of the electronic form. The compliance check includes both a check of the combined purchase order proforma invoice against the electronic transportation document and a check of the electronic transportation document against the electronic shipping

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document. Payment is initiated to the seller only after receiving a verification of credit of the buyer.